

Improve your home. Get rebates. Save money.

# **Contractor Information**

Los Angeles County contractors can win new business and provide moneysaving energy upgrade services to clients

The Energy Upgrade™ California Program in Los Angeles County offers financial incentives to homeowners who complete qualifying energy-saving home upgrades. In addition to improving home comfort and reducing energy costs, the program promotes job creation in Los Angeles County by driving demand for home energy assessments and upgrades, which may only be performed by Energy Upgrade California participating contractors, in order to be eligible for the available rebates.

#### How It Works:

- Contractors receive training to become eligible to participate
- Participating contractors are listed on the Energy Upgrade California website
- © Customers interested in upgrades are directed to this list of participating contractors
- © Contractors perform home energy assessments, implement energy-saving upgrades and file rebate and incentive paperwork on behalf of their customers

### **Examples of Eligible Upgrades:**

- Attic and wall insulation
- Air and duct sealing
- Combustion safety testing
- HVAC upgrades
- Energy-efficient windows and cool roof
- Tankless water heaters

## **Become a Participating Contractor:**

- Visit <u>www.EnergyUpradeCA.org/Contractors</u> to learn more about participating contractor requirements
- Complete a training workshop
- Become approved as a participating contractor and begin conducting assessments and upgrades

#### **Notes for Contractors:**

- Participating contractors must be fully licensed, take the utility-approved and administered training course and agree to abide by the program guidelines
- To provide services beyond basic house sealing and insulation, contractors must be accredited by or have someone on staff certified by the Building Performance Institute (BPI), which works with the U.S. Department of Energy and the Environmental Protection Agency to develop best practices for home energy efficiency

For more information about Energy Upgrade California in Los Angeles County, including the online press kit, photos and guidelines for participation, please visit www.EnergyUpgradeCA.org/Contractors